

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Claudius Zeiler et al.

Application No.: 10/635,919

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Art Unit: 3775

For: IMPLANT PLATE, METHOD AND
ARRANGEMENT FOR SEMI OR TOTALLY
AUTOMATIC PRODUCTION OF IMPLANT
PLATES AND THE USE THEREOF IN
SURGICAL AND/OR ORTHOPAEDIC
PROCEDURES

Examiner: James L. Swiger III

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner / Examiner:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two month extension of time to and including May 8, 2009 to respond to the Office Action mailed December 8, 2008.

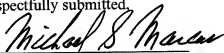
This petition is being filed in order to ensure copendency with application being filed concurrently herewith.

In the event that a further petition for an extension of time is required to be submitted at this time, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time for as many months as are required to ensure that the above-identified application does not become abandoned.

Please charge our Credit Card in the amount of \$490.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2). The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1073, under Order No. A8130.0659/P659.

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